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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last
decision of the examiner.

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 1.17(b)) \$320.00.

- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore,
the fee shown above is reduced by half, and the resulting fee is: \$ ____.
- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
- ☐ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a
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- ☒ The commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-1852. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is enclosed.

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- ☐ applicant/inventor
- ☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)
- ☒ attorney or agent of record.
- ☐ attorney or agent acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a).
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